

## **Alabama Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention**

The Children's Trust Fund



## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL/GRANT APPLICATION

**Frequently Asked Questions & Answers** 

• When submitting my budget and target data form am I submitting the budget for 2017-2018 or both years (2017-2019)?

You will only complete a budget for the first year (2017-2018). Before 2018-2019 grant year begins, you will complete another budget and target data form as a part of your continuation application.

 Since it is a two-year grant cycle, will I be funded the same amount the second year as I was the first grant year?

Funding for the second year will be contingent upon availability of ADCANP funds and the program's performance.

 Can two people be in the grant application at the same time from the same agency?

Each agency should have only one username and password that they will share.

- Do grantees have to put a narrative with their logic model?
   No, but it is recommended you complete a narrative to keep for reference.
- Is there a certain limit amount I can apply for with a public awareness/PR program?

There aren't any specified amounts this year.

- Do we have to scan all job descriptions/resumes in one document?
   Yes you are allowed only one upload per question or you can type the information directly in the text box.
- Do we have to do mandatory reporting, domestic violence and protective factors each year?

Mandatory Reporting and Domestic Violence Training are required annually but you only have to complete the Protective Factors training once at the beginning of employment.

- Is this a competitive grant? Yes.
- How much information do we need to supply in the brief abstract section?
   The abstract will be used for publication purposes and needs to be concise.

- If I am a current grantee and I merge with another grantee, would we be considered a new grantee?
   No.
- Can we upload different types of files or does it have to be PDF?

  You can upload a Word document, Excel spreadsheet or PDF as long as it meets the file size requirements listed on that section in the Grant Application.
- Once you get to the last page of the application, can you print out a hard copy before submission?

Yes. You have the ability to print an "Application Packet" which will show all of the answers you have supplied thus far.

- Are spaces and punctuation counted in the overall character capacity limit? Yes they are counted.
- If an agency intends to expand their program to include several counties but the expansion hasn't been finalized, should the Agency still select the additional counties in "All Counties Served"?

Yes, you can select all counties you intend to serve.

 Does an agency with several programs have to use a different name for each program?

Each program should have a different name so it won't be confusing to reviewers and the program name should be different than the agency's name.

 What happens if I press "Save Application" instead of exiting out of the application?

The application will be saved automatically as a "DRAFT" and will remain there until it is submitted or the deadline has passed.

- How many usernames and passwords do I need if I have several programs? Each organization should share one username and one password.
- How do you add several program applications under your one agency username? You sign in using the username (email address) and password created in the registration process and click the link on the far left that says "Apply".

